



3rd FAERE Thematic Workshop « Sustainable Development of Territories »

Call for papers

The next FAERE Thematic Workshop will be jointly organized by the University of Toulon and the FAERE (French Association of Environmental and Resource Economists) on April 21-22, 2015, during the Scientific Days of the University de Toulon.

The workshop will focus on the theme of territories' sustainable development, addressing various and major issues such as optimal management of natural resources, assessment of environmental goods, measurement of sustainable development, roles of economic actors on the territory, etc.

It will start with the inaugural conference delivered by Bernard Sinclair-Desgagné, Professor, holder of the Chair in International Economics and Governance at HEC Montréal, on the theme "The State, the company and the environment – forced trio or ménage à trois?" This conference, open to everyone, will review the Porter hypothesis, which asserts that a stricter environmental regulation may be beneficial both for the environment and for the affected firms. This hypothesis, subject to many debates and scientific studies for 25 years, remains controversial. The conference will clarify the underlying mechanisms (like innovation), which reconcile competitiveness and sustainability.

It will continue with two half-days introduced by the conferences of Olivier Beaumais (University of Rouen, LISA) and Katheline Schubert (University of Paris I, CSE-PSE), followed by half a dozen communications. The workshop is open to both senior researchers and PhD students. The organizers could bear the accommodation costs of selected speakers.

We are awaiting your propositions of communications (extended abstract or full paper) no later than February 15, 2015. The submissions have to be sent by e-mail to dorothee.brecard@univ-tln.fr.

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